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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: David J. Grainger et al. Examiner: Prema Mertz  
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INFLAMMATORY RESPONSE

**PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed April 7, 1999, said period of response being extended from July 7, 1999 to October 7, 1999.

Our check in the amount of \$870.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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